January 22, 2024

Lan Holtsclaw
Winston Salem, NC

Lan,

Enclosed on this USB drive are the following documents as requested:

1. Via email, an electronic copy of the slides presented by the attorney on the Dec 12, 2023 BOE meeting
2. Via email, in a spreadsheet format, the payroll check history report for FY21 from all pay groups and funds including all metadata

As you have possibly concluded over the past six months while reviewing thousands of documents, the Avery County School System has the best students, staff, and administration in the state. Each member of our outstanding team gets up every day and comes to work with the hopes of making a difference in the lives of the children we serve. I am very proud of the work we are doing and the success of our students.

You may have also discovered our school system is operating very efficiently and effectively. We are fortunate to have the best Board of Education in North Carolina that continues to put the needs of all students in the forefront of all decisions made.

Ms. Faith Cope, CFO and I will remain available if you have any questions regarding the information you have requested.

Sincerely,
Dan Brigman, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools